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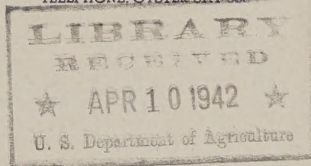
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PLANT TO SAVE LABOR IN 1942

Ground Covers require little, or no, care when once established.

Too well known to need description are:

AJUGA REPTANS ; Bugle Weed; small plants	\$15.00-hundred
PACHYSANDRA TERMINALIS ; field grown, 2 yr. up	8.00-hundred
VINCA MINOR ; Periwinkle; from 3 in. pots	15.00-hundred

More slow growing but equally valuable are:

HEDERA HELIX BALTICA; Baltic Ivy; from 3 in. pots .. 20.00-hundred
We offer the true variety. Very hardy and has shown no winter kill, either in sun or shade, during the ten years we have grown it in the nursery. Plant 6 in. apart.

JUNIPERUS LITORALIS (*conferta*); Shore Juniper; 6 in. pots....1.00-ea.
Low, bluish-green. Plant 1 ft., or more apart and wait for the plants to meet, they do not transplant well.

LIRIOPE GRAMINIFOLIA; Turf lily; small plants3.00-doz.
Makes a dense mat about 1 ft. high, leaves persist until spring. Small spikes blue flowers in September.

Shrubs increase in beauty year by year.

April bloom; **VIBURNUM FRAGRANS**; blooming bushes\$4.00
Hardy but attains its best development when planted in a sunny position against a wall or fence.

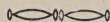
May fragrance; **VIBURNUM CARLESII**; 5 ft. to 6 ft. 6.00
Our bushes are on their own roots.

June cutting; **PHILADELPHUS CORONARIUS**; 2 ft. to 3 ft.90
The old-fashioned sweet Mockorange.

August berries, coral; **COTONEASTER RACEMIFLORA SOONGORICA**; 2 ft. to 3 ft. 3.50
Spreading habit, white flowers in June.

September fruits, red; **VIBURNUM SETIGERUM**; 5 ft. 5.00
Habit upright, foliage handsome.

November berries, violet; **CALLICARPA JAPONICA**; 2 ft. to 3 ft.85
Small flowers in August give the bush a misty pink look.



Annuals bought in flats give many cut flowers at small cost.

Do Not Neglect LAWNS.

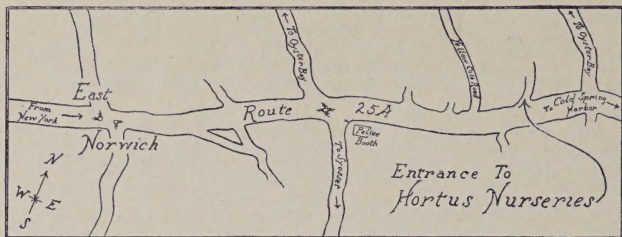
A lawn is a permanent planting. There is a direct relation between the height of the grass blades and the depth of the grass roots. As constant mowing keeps the grass short, food should be given the roots in the form of fertilizer and top-dressing. Yearly upkeep is cheap compared to the expense of bringing back a neglected lawn.

SPECIAL LAWN FERTILIZER	100 lb. bag	\$3.00		
¼ ton	\$13.75; ½ ton	\$25.00; 1 ton	\$50.00	
LAWN GRASS SEED, For Sun or Shade, 1 lb.	\$.70			
5 lbs.	\$3.25; 10 lbs.	\$6.25; 25 lbs.	\$15.00; 100 lbs.	\$58.00

BIRDS

are attracted by water and food; give them both throughout the year. The tremendous economic value of birds should be given particular attention now when spray materials are becoming increasingly scarce.

HORTUS NURSERIES MIXTURE SEED	50 lb. bag	\$5.00
Bird feeding devices. Bird baths.		



Our policy is to issue seasonable folders at irregular intervals rather than a comprehensive price list.

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Seeds, annuals, bulbs,
perennials, roses,
shrubs, trees,
supplies, equipment
and
supervised labour
for
planting, grading and
other garden operation

